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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER			Docket No. 0943-0144PUS1		
Application No. 10/828,301-Conf. #4811	Filing Date April 21, 2004	Examiner E. T. Tolan	Art Unit 3725		
Applicant(s): Hiroshi KATO et al.					
Invention: METHOD OF MANUFACTURING ELLIPTIC DEEP-DRAWN PRODUCTS					
<p>MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450</p> <p>Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.</p>					
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 1, 2005 (Paper No. 08292005), the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application:

This Paper includes Claim Set As Amended and Remarks.